GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1091
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RIGHTS OF FISHERMEN LIVING IN COASTAL AREA
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Will the Minister of ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the State Government of Kerala has submitted any proposals regarding Coastal Regulation Zone and the need to preserve some rights of fishermen living in Coastal area;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the response of the Union Government thereto?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS(SHRI NAMO NARAIN MEENA):

(a)&(b): As per the information received from the Science and Technology Department, Government of Kerala and the Kerala State Coastal Zone Management Authority, no proposals regarding the Coastal Regulation Zone and the need to preserve some rights of fishermen living in coastal areas have been received by the Government.

(c): Does not arise in view of the reply given in parts (a) and (b) above.